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For: **PASSPORT TRANSACTION APPARATUS, PASSPORT TRANSACTION METHOD  
AND PASSPORT TRANSACTIONS SYSTEM**

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

March 21, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2001, reconsideration and allowance in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.